How to become a Dragon

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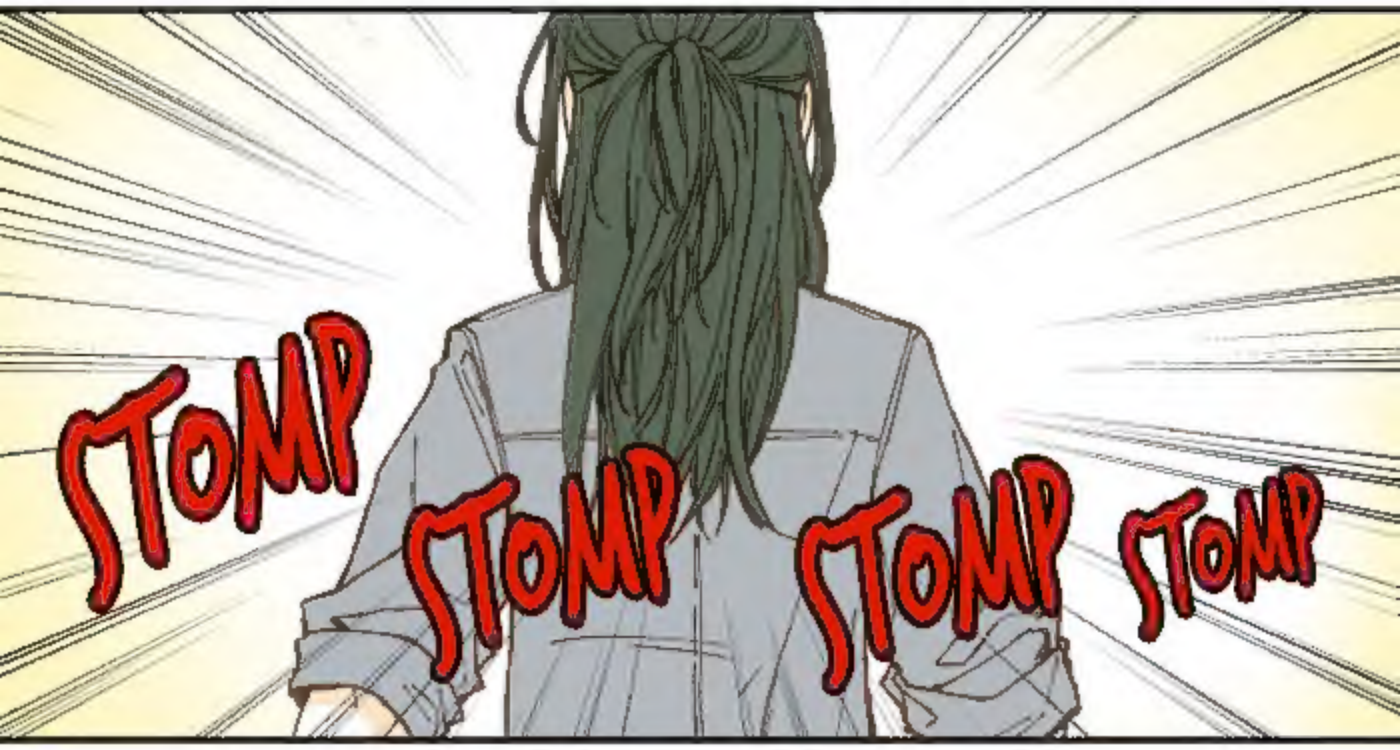
STOMP
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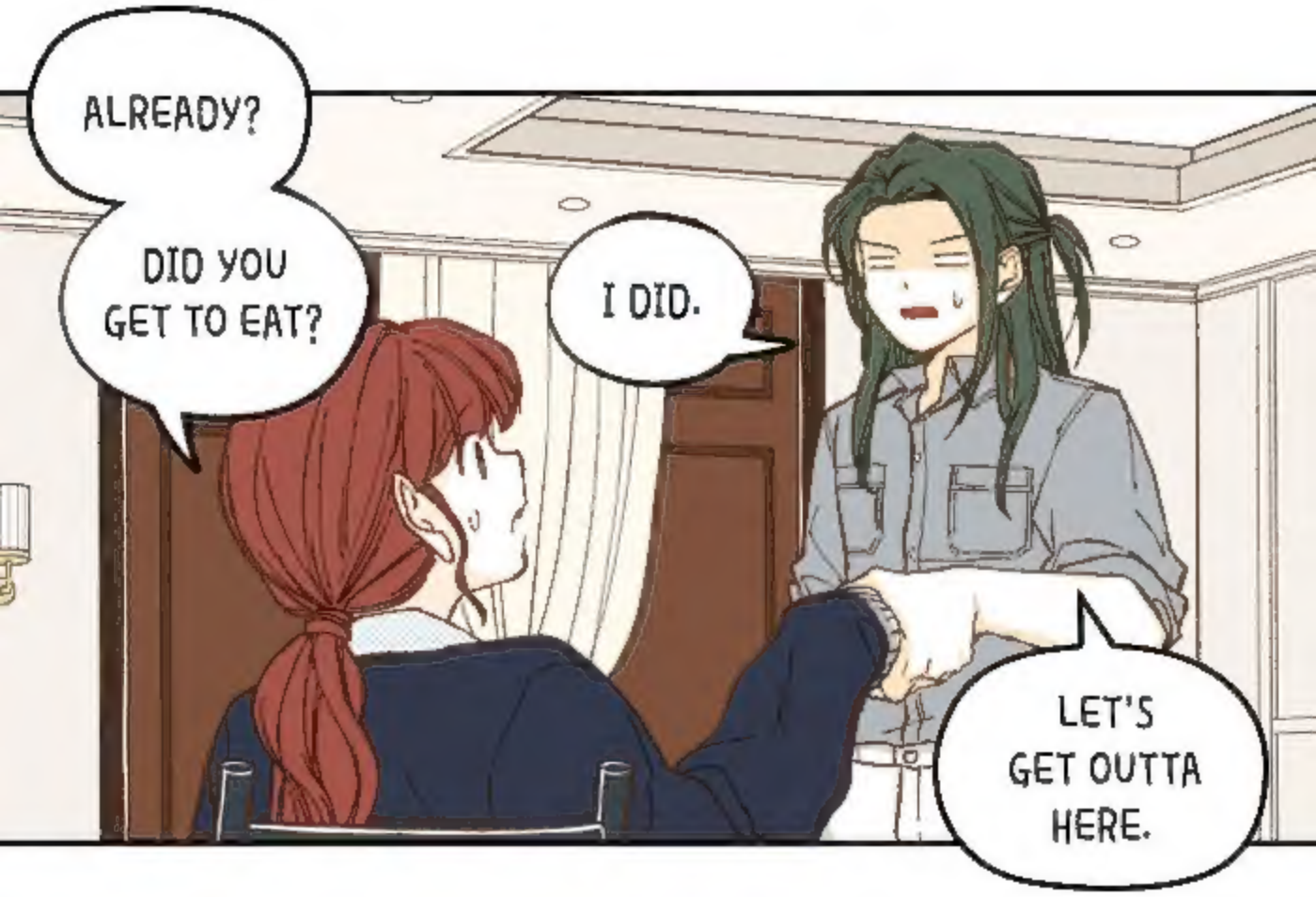
OH?
YEONGNO!

LET'S GO.
HUH?

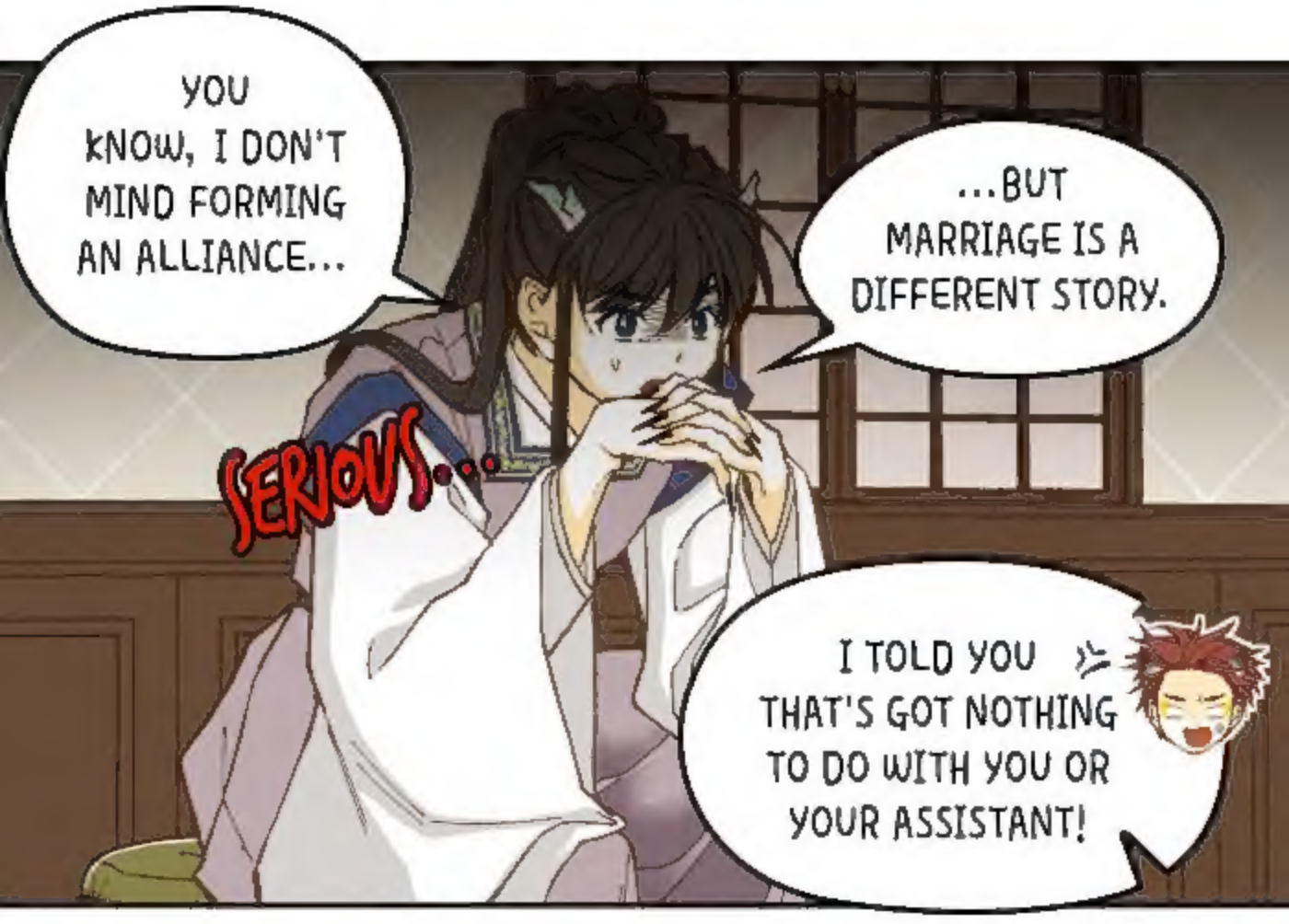

ALREADY?
DID YOU GET TO EAT?
I DID.
LET'S GET OUTTA HERE.

OKAY... WELL, I'LL SEE YOU AROUND!
Bow

YEAH,
TAKE CARE!

WHY'S HE IN SUCH A RUSH?
I WONDER IF THEY'RE DONE TALKING.

JEEZ, WHY'S HE GETTING SO WORKED UP OVER NOTHING?
...
IS HE IRRITABLE BECAUSE THE EXAM IS COMING UP?


YOU KNOW, I DON'T MIND FORMING AN ALLIANCE...
...BUT MARRIAGE IS A DIFFERENT STORY.
SERIOUS...
I TOLD YOU THAT'S GOT NOTHING TO DO WITH YOU OR YOUR ASSISTANT!

ALSO, SHOULDN'T YOU ASK THE TWO PEOPLE IF THEY ACTUALLY WANT TO GET MARRIED?
WHAT?
I COULDN'T CARE LESS WHAT THIS IDIOT THINKS.

STRUGGLE
MMPH!
POOR GUY...
MMPH!
STRUGGLE

HIS GRANDPA APPROVES, SO DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE KID.
...FREAKING LUNATIC...
THAT...
BUT STILL, MARRIAGE IS A LIFELONG COMMITMENT...

ALL YOU NEED IN A HUMAN MARRIAGE IS APPROVAL FROM THE ELDERS OF THE FAMILY!
CONFIDENT
WE'RE LIVING IN THE 21ST CENTURY YOU FREAK!
BORN IN THE GORYEO* DYNASTY

* A KOREAN DYNASTY SPANNING THE YEARS 918~1392.

I DID A LITTLE DIGGING OF MY OWN REGARDING SUN.

AND Y'KNOW WHAT? MY ASSISTANT SHOULD BE THANKFUL, BECAUSE SHE'S WAY TOO GOOD FOR HIM!

SHE'S FROM A RESPECTED FAMILY, EARNEST, AND HEALTHY TO BOOT!

IN FACT, SHE'D BE THE ONE GETTING THE SHORT END OF THE STICK IN THIS MARRIAGE, SO I DON'T KNOW WHY THIS PRICK IS THROWING A TANTRUM.

YEONGNO...

YEONGNO!

UM...
CAN YOU LET GO MY HAND?

IT HURTS...
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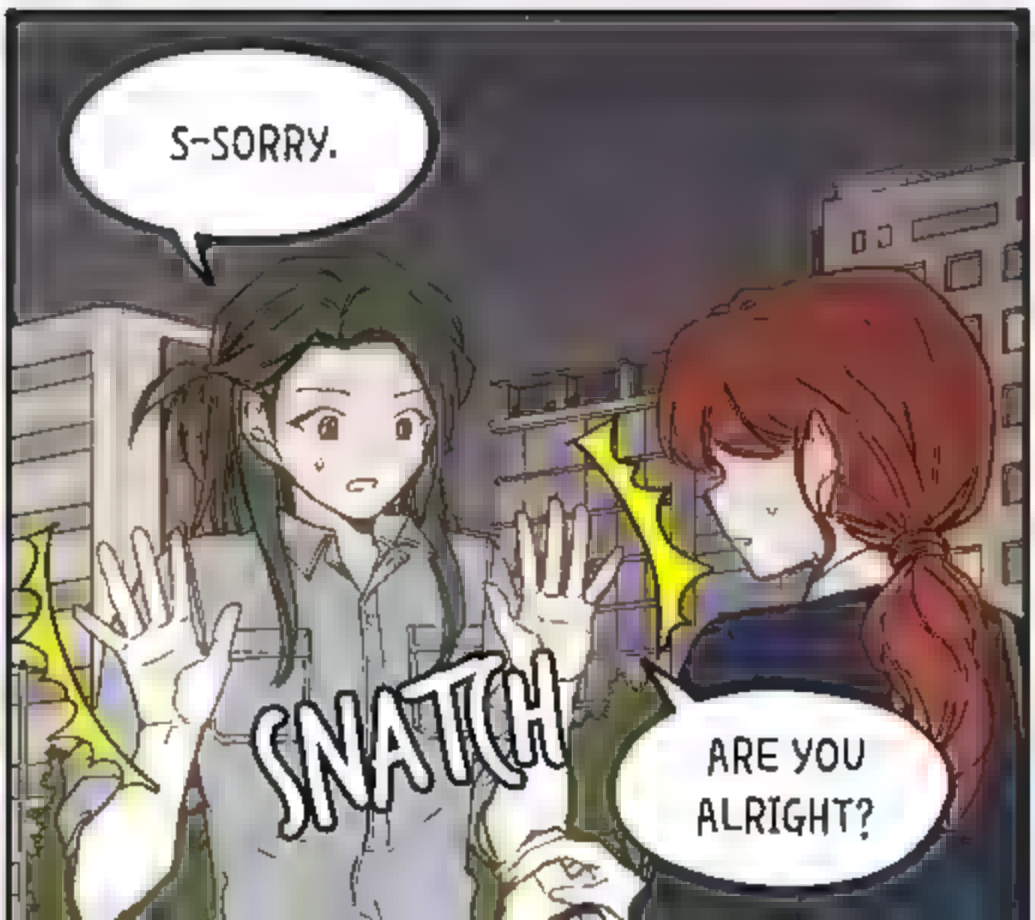
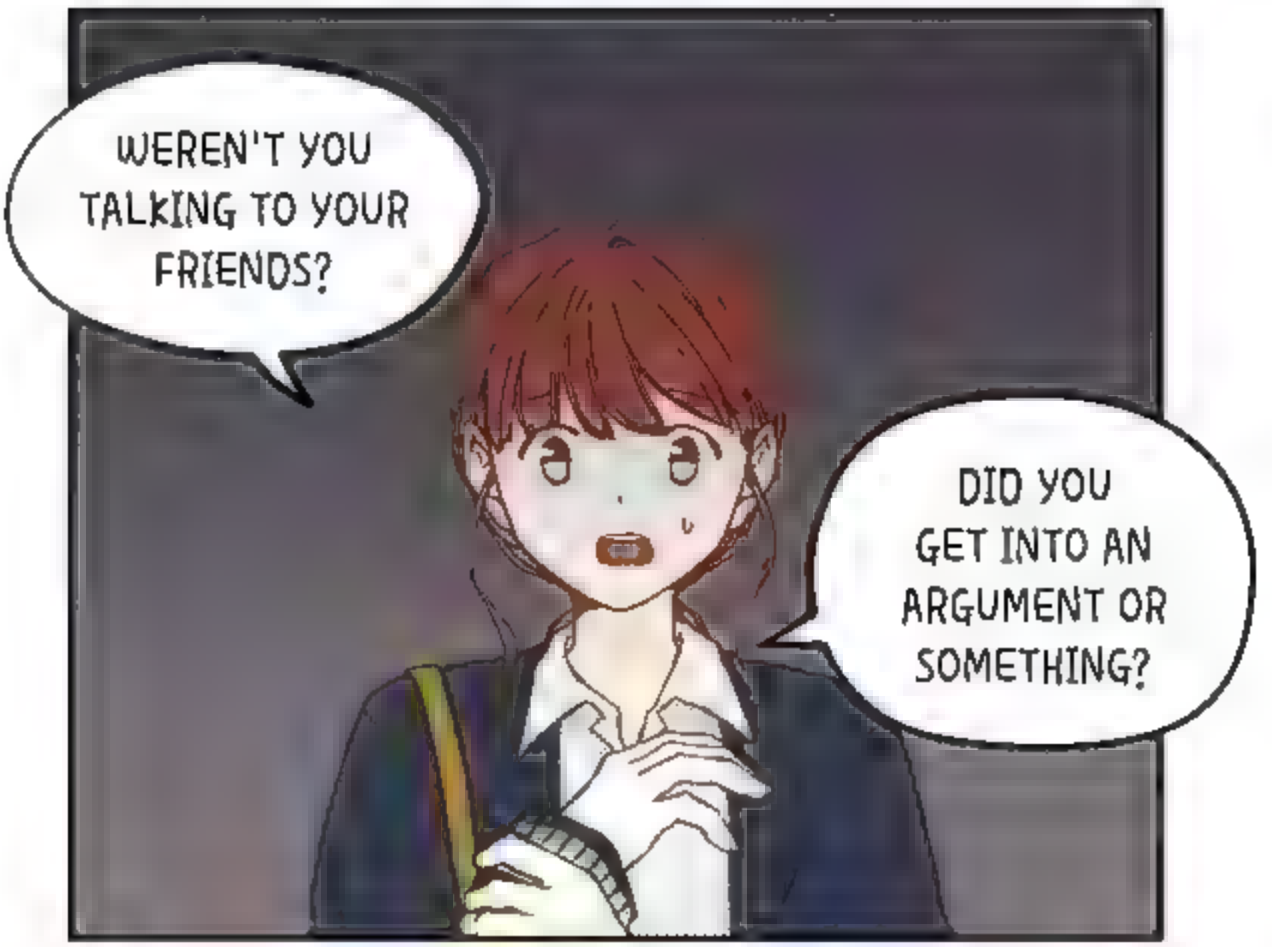
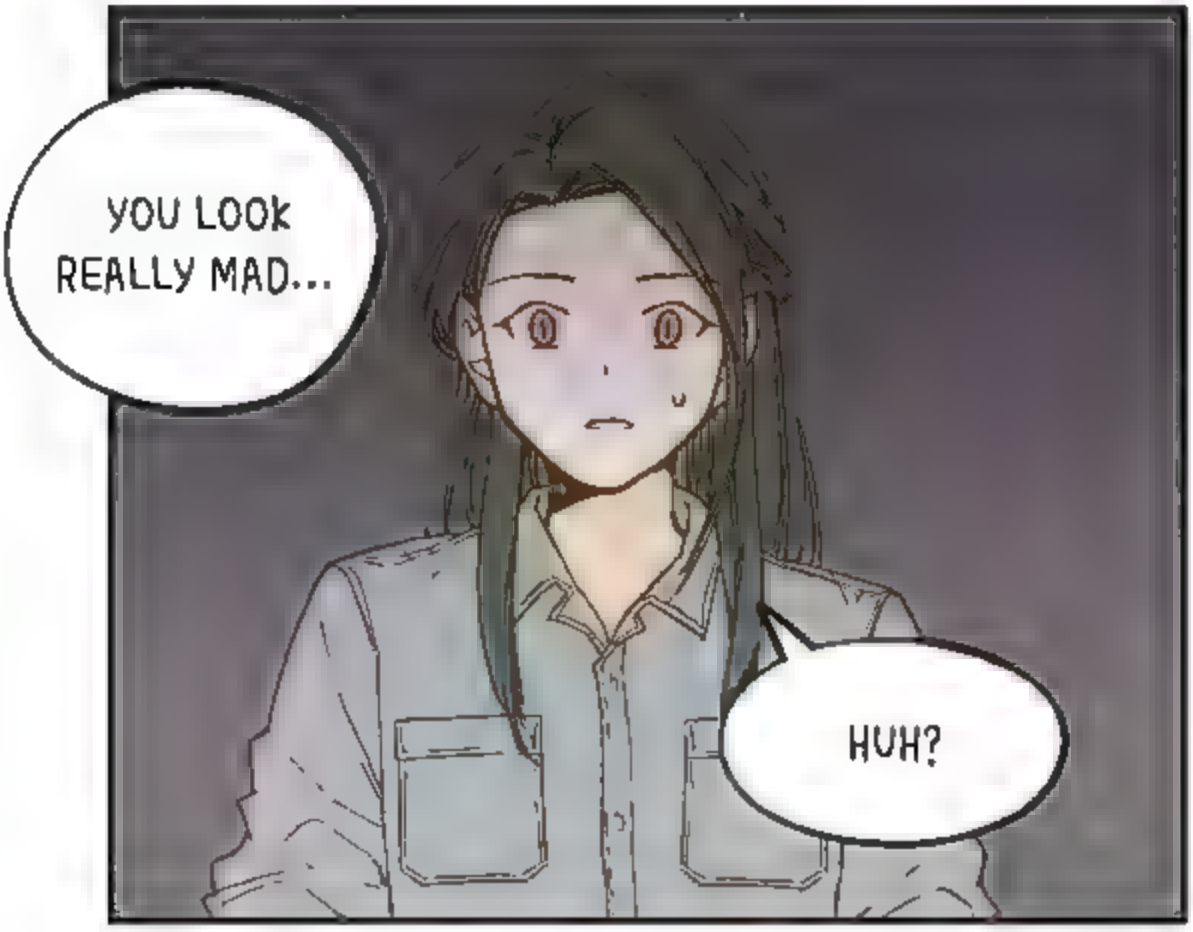

S-SORRY.
SNATCH
ARE YOU ALRIGHT?

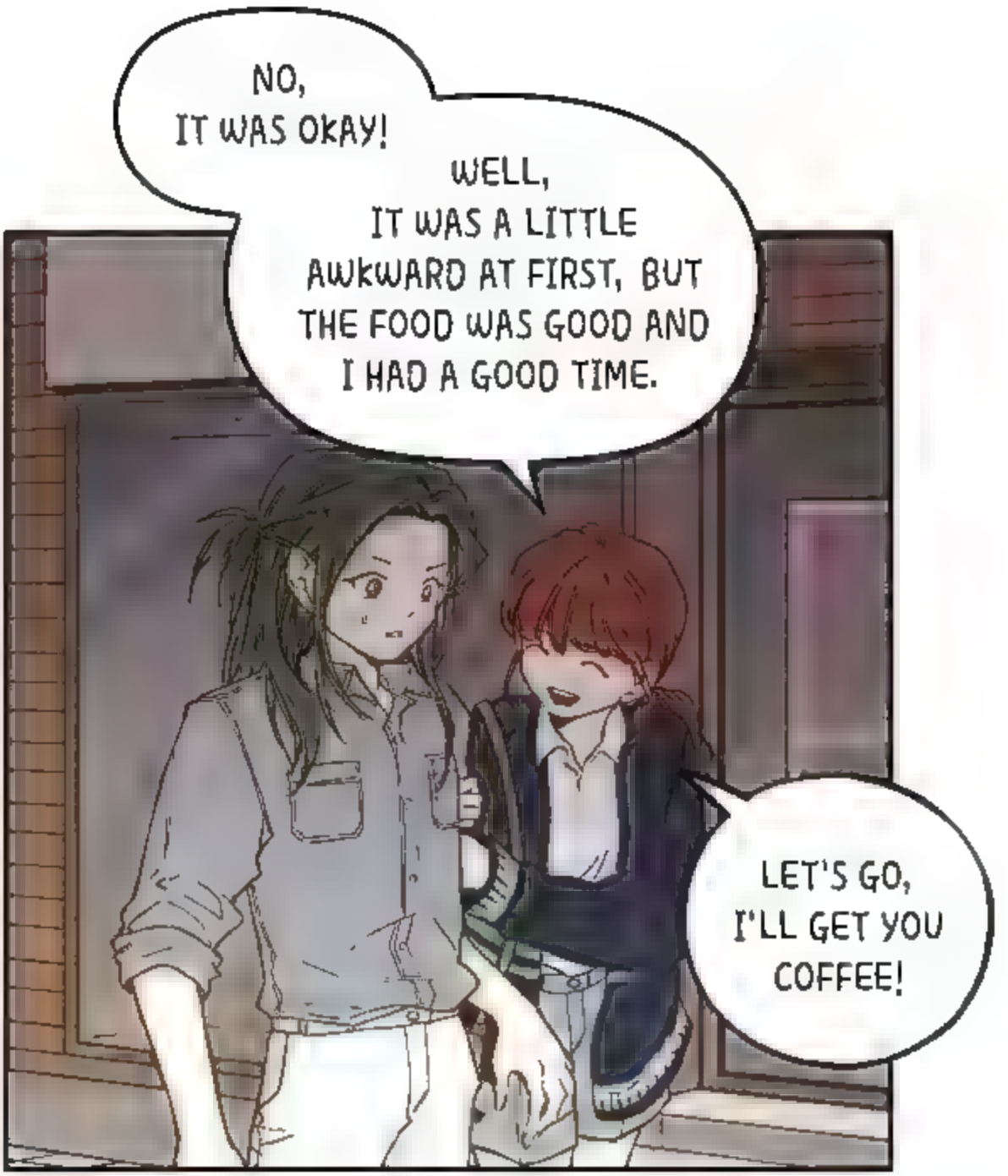

WEREN'T YOU TALKING TO YOUR FRIENDS?
DID YOU GET INTO AN ARGUMENT OR SOMETHING?

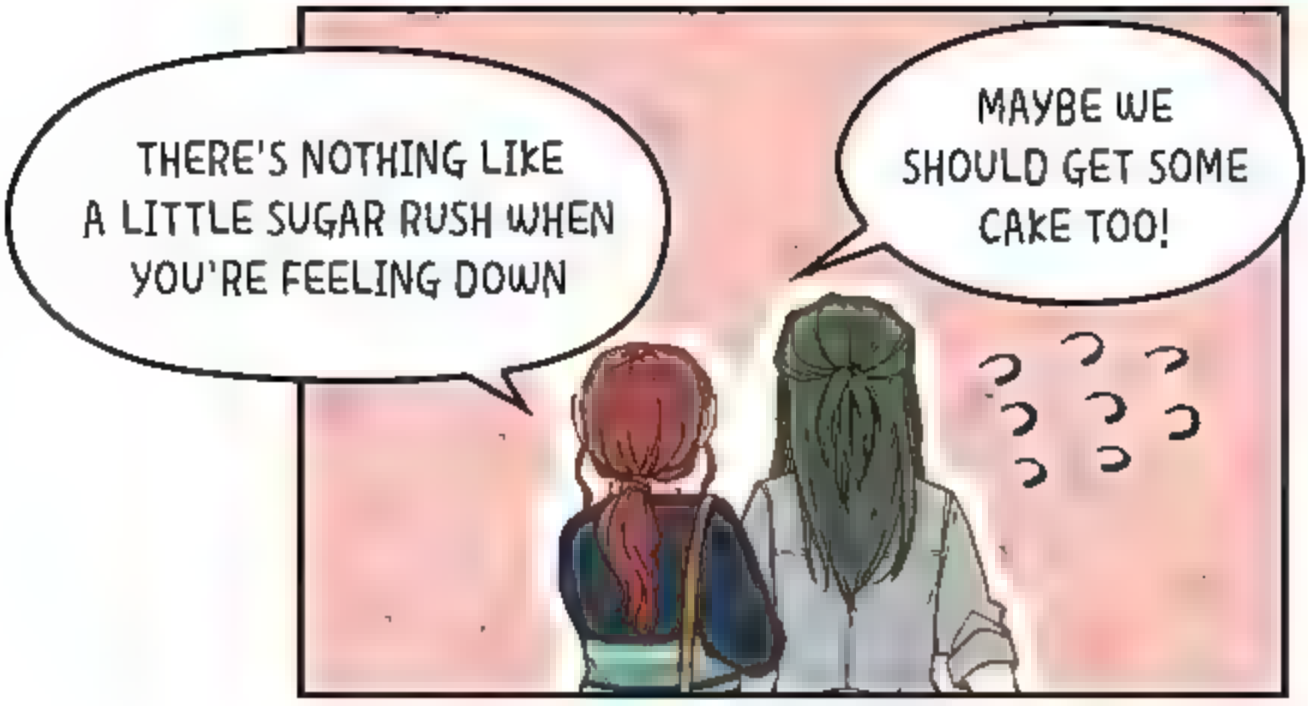

YOU LOOK REALLY MAD...
HUH?

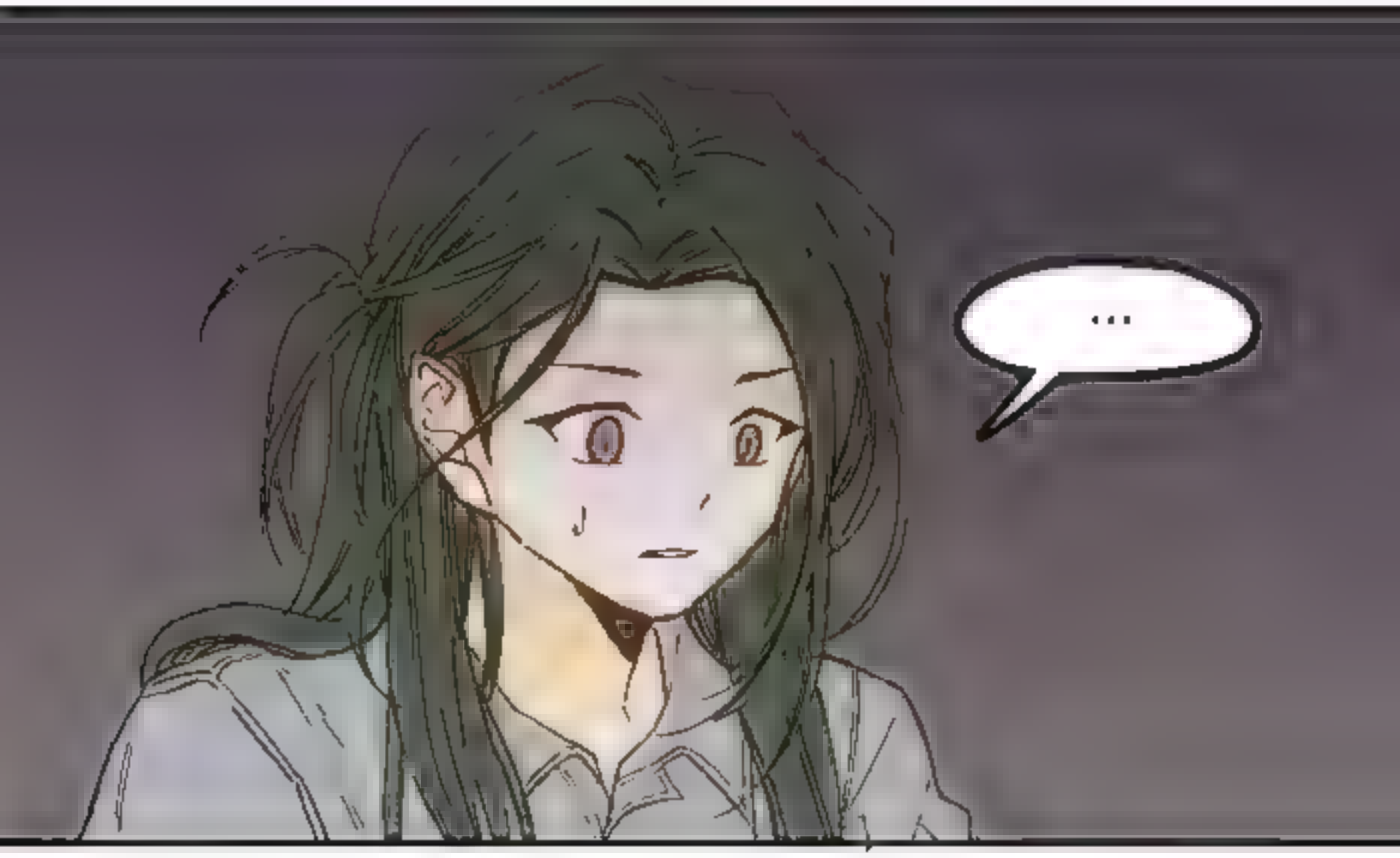
OH... NO,
IT'S NOTHING
LIKE THAT.
IT'S JUST THAT
MY FRIEND SAID SOMETHING
TOTALLY RIDICULOUS.

I'M NOT MAD.
DON'T WORRY.

I'M SORRY.
I SHOULDN'T HAVE TAKEN YOU THERE.
IT MUST'VE BEEN SO UNCOMFORTABLE FOR YOU...


NO,
IT WAS OKAY!
WELL,
IT WAS A LITTLE
AWKWARD AT FIRST, BUT
THE FOOD WAS GOOD AND
I HAD A GOOD TIME.
LET'S GO,
I'LL GET YOU
COFFEE!


THERE'S NOTHING LIKE A LITTLE SUGAR RUSH WHEN YOU'RE FEELING DOWN
MAYBE WE SHOULD GET SOME CAKE TOO!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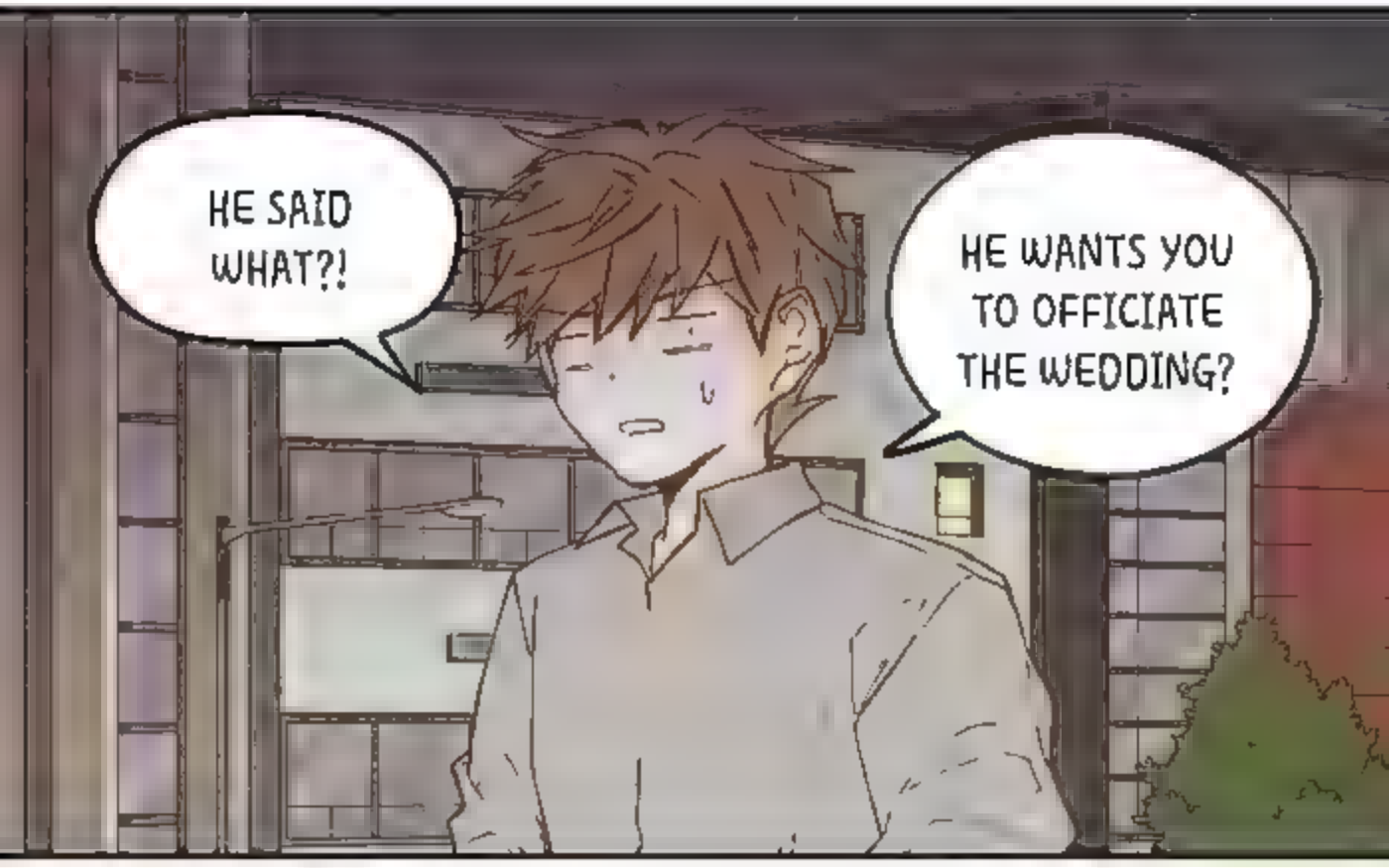

HE SAID WHAT?!
HE WANTS YOU TO OFFICIATE THE WEDDING?

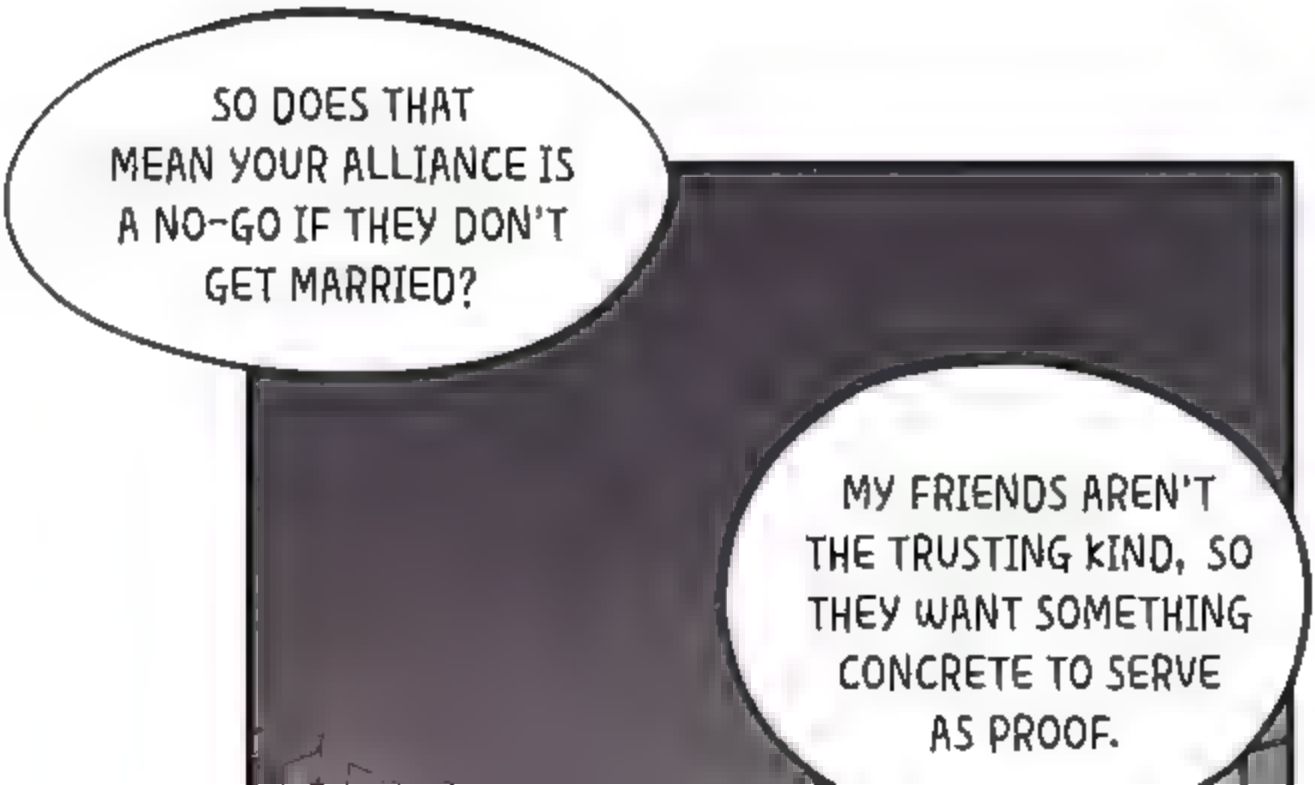
BARI, YOU'D NEVER BREAK AN OATH, BUT I'D RATHER MAKE SURE.
I WANT YOU TO BE A WITNESS TO THEIR MARRIAGE SO THAT YOU'LL BE BOUND TO OUR CONTRACT.
THAT'S WHAT HE SAID.

I'M WORRIED ABOUT OFFICIATING BECAUSE I'M NOT TOO GOOD WITH WORDS.
THAT'S SO OLD-FASHIONED! WHO THE HELL FINALIZES A CONTRACT THROUGH MARRIAGE THESE DAYS?
I-- I DISAGREED AS WELL AT FIRST!

YEAH,
THE MARRIAGE LOOKS GOOD ON PAPER IF YOU ONLY CONSIDER THEIR ASSETS...
WHAT(HU CALL ME?
...BUT REALLY, HOW COULD HE PAIR HER UP WITH SUCH AN ARROGANT SOCIAL OUTCAST?

I DIDN'T EXPECT THAT FROM YOU.
YOU DON'T THINK IT'S A GOOD MATCH?
...
FLINCH
I MEAN, HE IS EXTREMELY WEALTHY...

YEAH...
THAT'S DEFINITELY A HUGE POINT IN HIS FAVOR.
MAKES IT HARDER TO IMMEDIATELY WRITE HIM OFF.


SO DOES THAT MEAN YOUR ALLIANCE IS A NO-GO IF THEY DON'T GET MARRIED?
MY FRIENDS AREN'T THE TRUSTING KIND, SO THEY WANT SOMETHING CONCRETE TO SERVE AS PROOF.

I MEAN,
I AGREE JOINING FORCES IS A GOOD IDEA.
BUT I DON'T THINK IT'S WORTH MESSING UP SOMEONE'S LIFE AND FAMILY LINE...
THAT'S TOO MUCH.
IS HE THAT BAD?

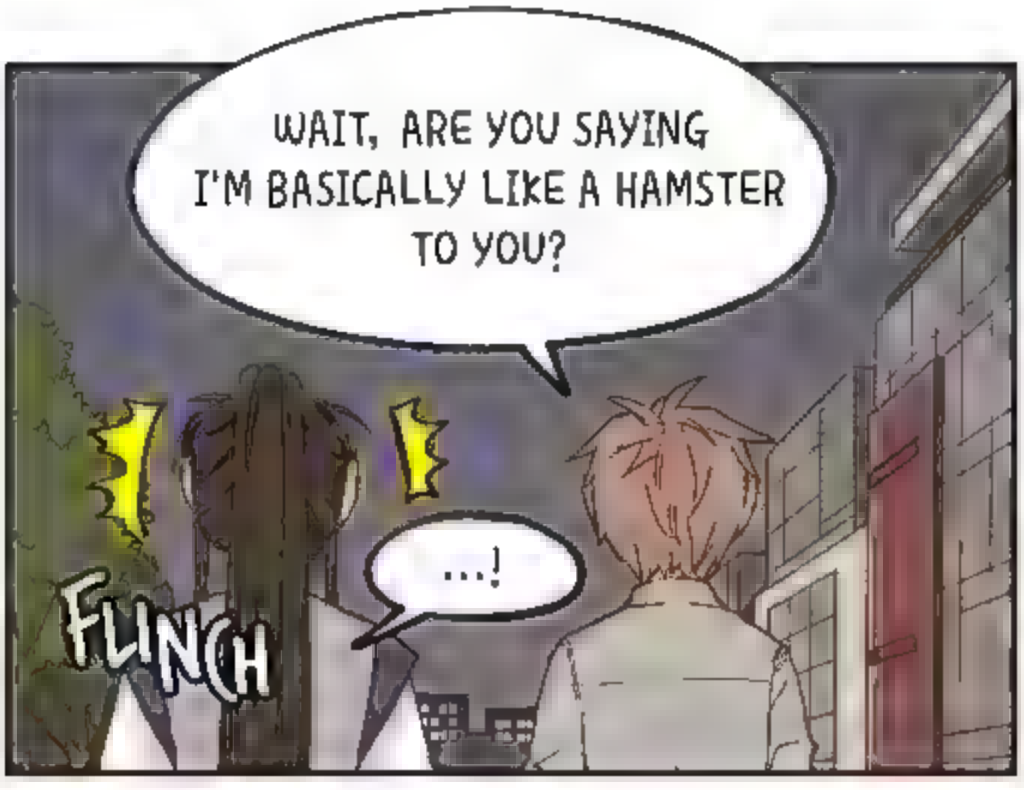
I TALKED TO SUN TODAY, AND SHE SEEMED LIKE A NICE PERSON.

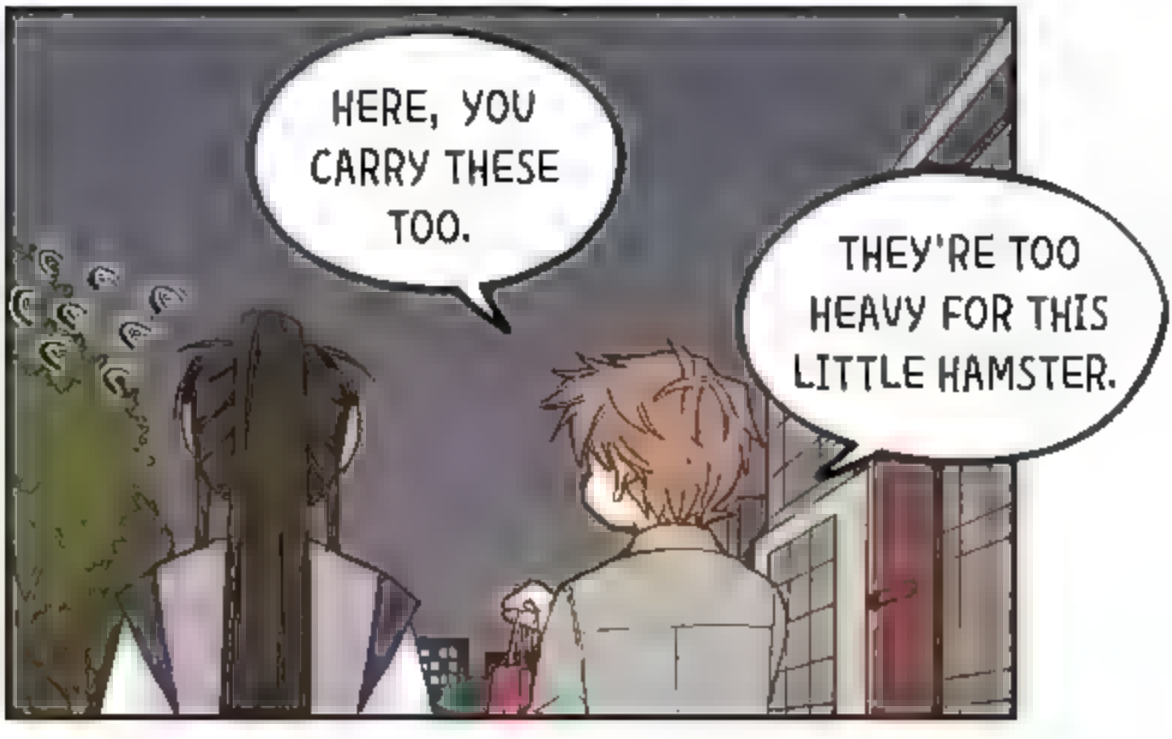
SO I FEEL EXTRA BAD FOR HER.

ARE YOU SAYING THAT BECAUSE YEONGNO HASN'T TOLD SUN THE TRUTH?
SHE'D BE AGHAST IF HE SUDDENLY REVEALED TO HER THAT HE'S AN IMOOGI.

THERE'S THAT, BUT THERE'S SOMETHING ELSE.
HE SHOULDN'T BE FOOLING HER LIKE THAT, MAKING HER BELIEVE HE'S A GIRL.
IT'S A TOUGH WORLD TO LIVE IN ALREADY, EVEN WITHOUT ALL THE LYING.
I DON'T REALLY THINK THAT'S A PROBLEM.
YES, WE'VE DISGUISED OURSELVES AS HUMANS...

...BUT WE'RE CLEARLY A DIFFERENT SPECIES.
YULIA'S PET HAMSTER IS ALSO A MALE.
BUT YOU DON'T WORRY ABOUT ANYTHING HAPPENING THERE.


WAIT, ARE YOU SAYING I'M BASICALLY LIKE A HAMSTER TO YOU?
...!
FLINCH


HERE, YOU CARRY THESE TOO.
THEY'RE TOO HEAVY FOR THIS LITTLE HAMSTER.

RIP
UGH...

YOU FOOL...
YOU SHOULD'VE KEPT YOUR MOUTH SHUT.
COUGH
IF YOU DARE SHOUT AT ME AGAIN, I'LL PULL YOUR TONGUE OUT!

BUT TELL ME, WHY ARE YOU SO AGAINST THIS MARRIAGE?

NO ONE WOULD EVER MARRY YOU IF IT WEREN'T FOR YOUR FAMILY'S WEALTH.

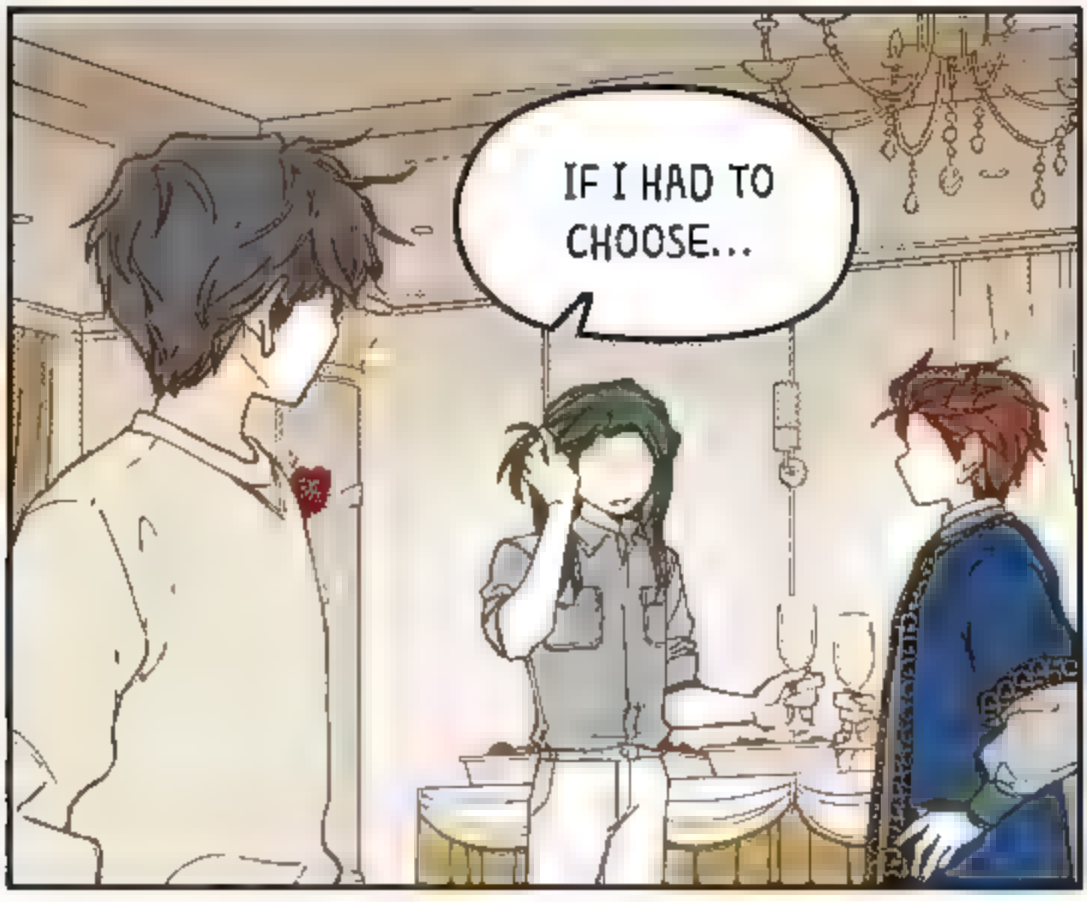
BRISTLE

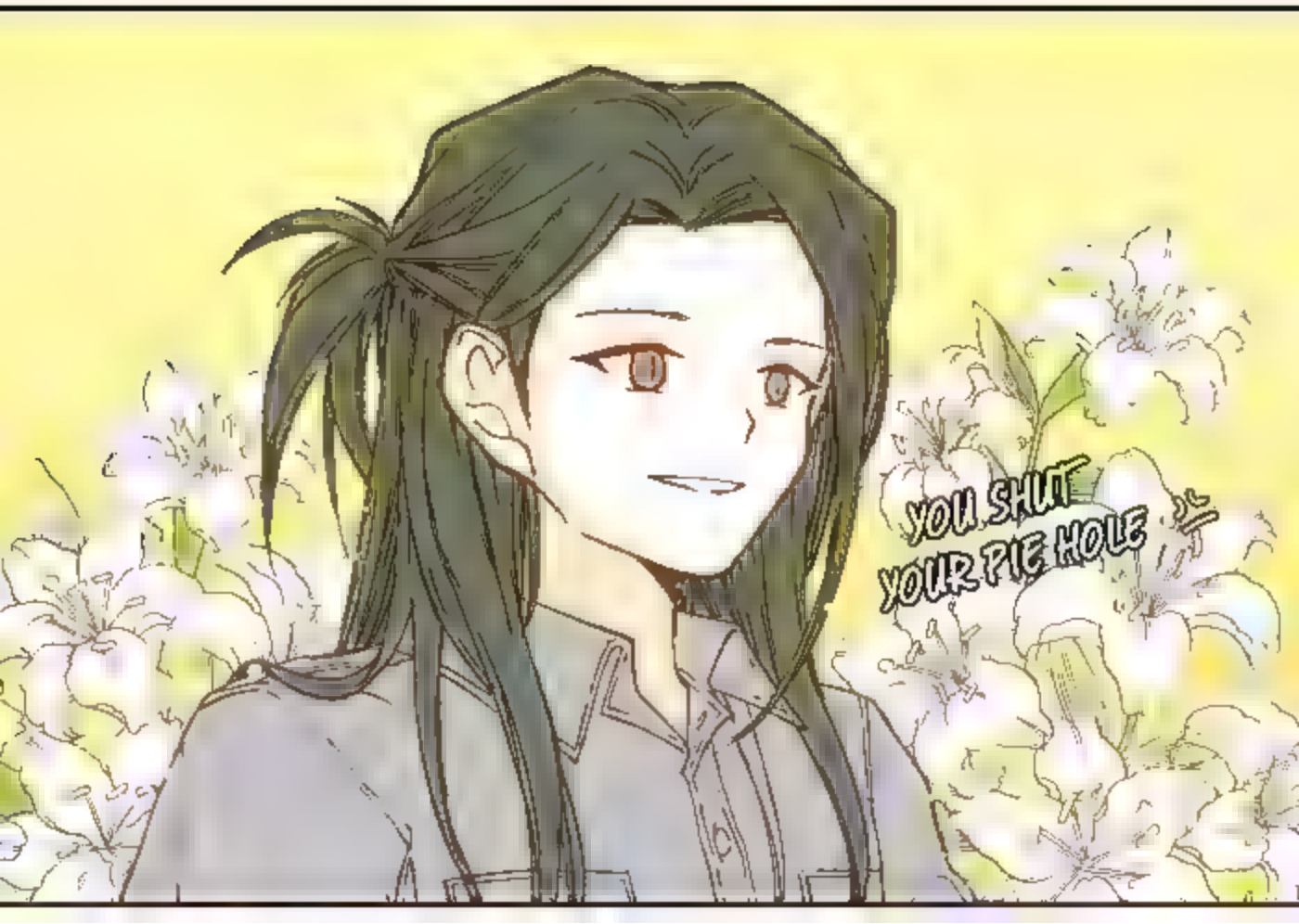
...

WELL,
I NEVER WANTED
TO GET MARRIED IN
THE FIRST PLACE.
AND I HAVE MY
OWN PREFERENCES,
YOU KNOW?
...
...

UGH, I HATE YOU GUYS...

WHAT'S WRONG WITH HER?
SHE WAS CUTE AND NICE!
SHE'S JUST NOT MY TYPE, OKAY?


IF I HAD TO CHOOSE...


YOU SHUT YOUR PIE HOLE

...I'D GO FOR THE GIRL THAT WAS WITH YOU.
SHE'S PRETTY.
THE ONE WITH THE HALF PONYTAIL.

ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT YEONGNO...?
YEONGNO IS...
I KNOW, I KNOW.
SHE'S YOUR KIND, RIGHT?

THANK GOD I ALREADY KNOW SHE'S A REPTILE...
...
ANYWAY, I AIN'T GETTING MARRIED! YOU GOT THAT?

THIS IS TOO FUNNY. I'M SO NOT TELLING HIM THE TRUTH.
CAN'T WAIT TO SEE HIS FACE WHEN HE FINDS OUT!

OPENED THE GIFTS AS SOON AS HE GOT HOME

ARE YOU CRYING...?

I KNEW IT, RICH PEOPLE ARE TOTAL CHEAPSKATES...

THEY COULD'VE AT LEAST GIVEN US A SPAM GIFT SET.

GOT TWO BOXES OF SHAMPOO, TWO BOXES OF DRIED ANCHOVIES, AND TWO BOXES OF SEAWEED